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SUBJ: WCIWY: ESTABLISHMENT OF US VISITOR/PRESS INFORMATION  
CENTER AT AMEMBASSY, MEXICO

1. IN ORDER TO COPE WITH EXPECTED DEMAND FOR INFORMATION  
AND ASSISTANCE, STILL DIFFICULT TO QUANTIFY, BUT NONETHELESS  
CERTAIN TO MATERIALIZE, AND TO HELP NGO PARTICIPANTS AND OTHERS COMING

TO MEXICO CITY FOR WCIWY WHO HAVE NO OFFICIAL STATUS, WE WILL  
OPEN A US EMBASSY VISITORS' INFORMATION CENTER (VIC) AT  
CHANCERY FROM JUNE 18 THRU JULY 3. VIC WILL BE MANAGED AND  
STAGGED BY VOLUNTEER WOMEN FROM MEXICO CITY AS WELL AS BY  
EMBASSY/USIS EMPLOYEES. IT WILL BE EQUIPPED WITH CLOSED  
CIRCUIT TV MONITORS FOR PRESENTATION OF PROPOSED VIDEOTAPED  
BRIEFINGS ON CONFERENCE DEVELOPMENTS BY USDEL MEMBERS (OR  
SPOKESPERSONS), AND FILMS RELATING TOPICALLY AND THEMATICALLY  
TO IWY WILL BE SHOWN. USIS WWLL STAFF A PRESS INFORMATION  
POINT (PIP))AT VIC TO FACILITATE CONTACTS BETWEEN MEDIA AND  
NGO REPS. (USIS WILL ALSO OPERATE A MEDIA INFORMATION  
CENTER ELSEWHERE WITH FILING FACILITIES. VIC/PIP WILL HAVE  
DIRECT LINE COMMUNICATIONS WITH TGIS CENTER.) IN ADDITION,  
VIC WILL PROVIDE A VOLUNTARY REGISTRATION FACILITY FOR  
LOCATOR PURPOSES (EMBASSY'S PROTECTION AND WELFARE UNIT  
EXPECTS SIGNIFICANT WORKLOAD INCREASE DURING WCIWY), A  
HOSPITALITY CENTER, AND INFORMATION ON SHOPPING, TOURS  
AND OTHER ACTIVITIES OF INTEREST TO VISITORS TO THE CAPITAL.

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2. WE BELIEVE VIC WILL COMPLEMENT AND SUPPLEMENT USDEL'S

SECRETARIAT. IT WILL BE ABLE TO ABSORB MANY OF THE DEMANDS  
(AND COMPLAINTS) SURE TO BE MADE BY VISITORS AND TO ALSO  
PARTICIPATE AS FULLY AS THEY EXPECT IN WCIWY OR TRIBUNA.  
USUN AND DEPARTMENT MAY WISH TO ADVISE USNG REPS AND OTHERS  
WHO MIGHT INQUIRE THAT THEY WILL BE WELCOME AT THE EMBASSY'S  
VISITORS INFORMATION CENTER.  
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